STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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The intent of this legislation is to clarify the authority of law enforcement agencies to assist in the enforcement of the Idaho Invasive Species Act. The legislation includes a definition for the term conveyance. Second, the legislation provides for a new section related to Prohibited Actions, which clarifies the requirement for vehicles and conveyances to present themselves for inspection as they travel by inspection stations. Third, the legislation clarifies the use of Hold Orders by the director in implementing this title. Fourth, the legislation provides a new section related to peace officers in the state of Idaho and responsibilities related to the enforcement of this act. Peace officers shall have the duty to enforce the provisions of the act, may require an inspection, and may issue hold orders and require decontamination of conveyance.

FISCAL NOTE

No new fiscal impact to the General Fund or dedicated funds.

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